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a second cutting and nipping device downstream of the first cutting and nipping device for cutting the web between the first cuts so as to form signatures, the second cutting and nipping device nipping the web.

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3. (Once amended) The folder as recited in claim 1 wherein the second cutting and nipping device includes a cutting cylinder having at least one segmented cutting element with cutting edges spaced apart axially and having a nipping surface extending circumferentially with respect to the cutting edges.

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18. (Once amended) A cutting device comprising:

a cutting cylinder having at least one segmented blade with axially-spaced cutting edges and a nipping surface extending circumferentially with respect to the axially-spaced cutting edges; and

an anvil cylinder having an outer surface for providing a nip with the nipping surface, the anvil cylinder having an anvil surface contacting the segmented blade of the cutting cylinder.

IN THE ABSTRACT

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A folder for a web printing press includes a first cutting and nipping device for partially cutting a web so as to form first cuts in the web and for nipping the web. A second cutting and nipping device cuts the web between the first cuts so as to form signatures, the web being nipped at a nip of the second cutting device. Also disclosed is a method for cutting a web which